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VIOLATORS MEET STIFF SENTENCES

FRED CARR FACING FEDERAL
ARREST UPON LEAVING JAIL

Wardens and deputy wardens had an active week last week and kept Prosecutor Nellist and Justice Cassidy busy holding court. Game Warden Rueben S. Babbitt, assisted by several district and deputy wardens, brought to justice several violators, all of whom pleaded guilty when facing the court, and received stiff sentences.

Fred Carr who resides on the South Side and works in the flooring mill, not only had to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs but is serving 30 days in jail and, according to Prosecutor Nellist, will be arrested upon his release by federal officers, charging him with violation of the prohibition law.

George Bielski also drew a jail sentence, 20 days, and a fine of \$50.00 and costs. He was charged with having a fawn deer in his possession.

Peter Sybroski of Essexville was apprehended by Charles Craven, reservation officer for Fredrick, for having a loaded gun in his car. He paid \$10.00 fine and costs.

Abbe Powell of Romeo shot a deer but failed to attach his tag and continued to hunt. The wardens confiscated his deer and he had to pay a fine of \$70.00 and costs, and for good measure, his license was revoked.

Howard Smith also failed to tag his deer and drew a fine of \$80.00 and costs and lost his license.

Two other hunters were apprehended for having loaded guns in their cars and were fined \$10.00 and \$15.00 and costs respectively.

A hunter named Owen was arrested for hunting on enclosed lands and paid a fine of \$10.00 and costs.

One Ohio hunter, hunting under a Michigan license, was fined \$50.00 and costs for not having a non-resident license. Later the fine was revoked upon his purchase of a non-resident license.

This party had resided in Saginaw for the past two months and concluded that he had gained a residence there, whereas it is necessary to reside in Michigan six months before a legal residence can be claimed. The court felt that he had been conscientious in believing that he was entitled to a Michigan license. A Michigan deer license costs \$2.50, whereas a non-resident license is \$25.00.

Three other parties were apprehended for hunting without licenses and each was fined \$10.00 and costs, and each had to buy licenses.

In the arrest of Fred Carr the officers, armed with a search warrant, found in his home a quantity of illegal venison. In the search, according to the story told by the officers, a quantity of liquor also was discovered. According to law the liquor could not be touched. Therefore another search warrant was sworn out giving the officers jurisdiction and six quarts of liquor and two cases of beer were found and confiscated.

Sheriff Bollenmeyer assisted in this later investigation and it seems, had some altercation with Mrs. Carr who resisted by striking him with a hammer. Up to this time no charge has been made against Mrs. Carr. Mrs. Carr, it is said, sat down upon the jugs of liquor and refused to abdicate. That is what caused the altercation with the officers. A federal warrant charging violation of the prohibition law, will be served upon Carr upon his release from the local jail, and he will be taken before the federal court at Bay City for trial.

THE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS FUND OF 1927

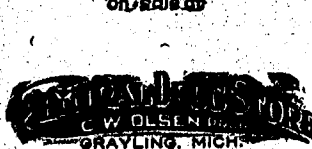
Last year there was collected a total of \$223.90 for a community Christmas fund. \$83.90 of this amount was expended for the Community Christmas tree. A balance of \$140.00 was turned over to the Goodfellowship Club as an agency to meet extra conditions of relief, as they may arise.

A detailed statement of the distribution of this balance can be seen by calling upon Rev. J. W. Greenwood, who acted as treasurer.

COMING

Dr. A. S. Allard, optometrist of Bay City, will be in Grayling at Shoppenagons Inn, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5 from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. The examining of children's eyes is a specialty. Cross eyes straightened without drugs or knife. Glasses fitted that give years of service at a reasonable price. Remember the date, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5th.

DR. A. S. ALLARD,
Optometrist.



School Notes

(Written by the students of the English classes.)

The members of the Student Council held a meeting last Tuesday to elect their officers, discuss questions that would benefit the school, and those Wednesday out of each week for a meeting day to make laws that would be for the benefit of the teachers and students. The members that were elected for the following offices were: President, Lewis Engel; Vice-President, Charles Wylie; and Secretary, Dorothy May. We all think these people are capable of holding the offices.

The teachers are preparing to go home for Thanksgiving. The students won't be angry about the two days vacation either.

As the six weeks exams are over the students are beginning to feel better. Some of the pupils get good marks, but there is still a large group of students who have yet to learn the purpose of school.

The Senior class held a meeting last Wednesday. Class money was discussed. The class dues and a candy sale at the Alumni game Tuesday were decided upon.

We students of this High School, have chosen from our room The three best individuals High School order to resume.

The first one is Lewis Engel. Well liked by big and small. To be followed up by Garner and Wylie makes them all.

Under three such able students We're sure to be ruled well. Of the success of the Council The future, only, can tell.

So let us all get together, That this our loudest cheers, That our great organization Will last for many years.

Eva Johnson, a former student of our school, is among us again after spending the first part of her school year in the Frederic High School.

French Class Entertained The French class was pleasantly entertained last Friday afternoon by little Miss Celia Lovely of the seventh grade. Celia sang the French version of "Pal of My Cradle Days" and "The Prisoner's Song" very well. Her recitation of French words and expressions seems to be unlimited. We greatly appreciate Celia's kindness in so pleasantly entertaining us and hope she will come again soon.

The students are all eagerly looking forward to the Thanksgiving vacation. Lots of fun!

No Girl Scout meeting was held this week, owing to the absence of our leader, Miss Lewis.

The Student Council is already in action. Each class has drawn up rules, which will be presented to the council by their representatives.

Some classes were kicking because they had to write their exams in blue books, so Mr. Cushman said, "Those of you who can't find a penny for your blue book come to me." Bill Garner: "I really don't think I can." Thus Mr. Cushman bought Bill's blue books.

The High School Glee Club sang in church last Sunday night. This makes their second appearance there.

Miss Estee attended the foot ball game at Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Miss Lewis was forced to leave school Friday afternoon because of the death of her aunt.

The Juniors held a class meeting last week to draw up a creed for the Student Council. Many rules were made to put before the council for the betterment of the school. We hope many of these rules will be passed.

Tests! Tests! And More Tests! Every teacher is giving tests again. Once more we wait anxious for the verdict. Have we flunked? It is all decided now though and lies in the hand of the teacher. Let's hope they'll be lenient.

The beginners class in typewriting had their first speed test last Thursday. We hope to raise our records a lot before long. Practice makes perfect.

The Grayling high school girls basketball team were practicing against the Alumni last Thursday, November 22. They found out that we have a very good coach. The girls think they are getting more team work every time they are out practicing. Tuesday the girls played the Alumni. The Alumni as yet have not forgotten how to play basketball.

The English Literature class worked pretty hard last week in getting their book reports in. Six weeks passed by so quickly that we were surprised to know we had only one more week to get them in. This week starts another six weeks period and the wise ones won't wait too long again.

Boys basketball practice was called Saturday night at seven o'clock and they all had about two hours practice. There were two teams and they played all evening. Stinchcomb and Neal, forwards; LaGrow and Schmidt, guards; and Korhonen, center, played against Dunham and May, forwards; Cushman and Sheehy, guards; and Kesseler, center.

The sixth week examinations came last Thursday and Friday. These seemed to be unlucky days for the pupils because their averages were not as high as before. Some of the exams consisted of true and false questions which were all typed out for us. The trouble with these questions is, you either know or don't know and there can be no credit given for those that are wrong. Some essay questions were given also. This gave



1—Scene in Los Angeles after great rains that flooded the streets with water and mud. 2—View in federal court at New York during the inquiry into the sinking of the Vestris, when Velchere, wireless operator, was testifying. 3—Cyde L. Reed of Parsons, Republican, who was elected governor of Kansas.

Thanksgiving

Again we arrive at the time of year when we should give extra thought to the events of the past, and count our many blessings. Happy homes with happy families gathered again around the family hearth is the good fortune for many of our people, and that is happiness indeed. And that the past year has been kind to you and yours is our sincere wish, at this Thanksgiving season.

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some of them a better chance to better their mark. Report cards will be given out again next Wednesday letting us know the mark that we deserved for the six weeks work.

The English Literature class while waiting for their copies of "Hamlet" to arrive are studying John Milton the famous blind poet. English Literature is a very interesting study and the pupils are looking forward to the class periods more every day.

Got that last chemistry experiment in yet? What's this supposed to be—saturated? Say is this a sulfate or a solvent? So this is crystallization. Such are the questions heard around Chemistry Lab. Miss Lewis, our instructor, unexhaustingly answers the questions while teaching us to read our instruction carefully before attempting to begin our experiments, which is a very wise idea coming from a very wise instructor.

Each separate class of G. H. S. has been advised to draw up a creed for our Student Council to be presented to the students. The creeds are to be turned into the Student Council who will decide which is the best and as they do this is crystallization. Such are the questions heard around Chemistry Lab. Miss Lewis, our instructor, unexhaustingly answers the questions while teaching us to read our instruction carefully before attempting to begin our experiments, which is a very wise idea coming from a very wise instructor.

All of the classes held class meetings Wednesday night for the purpose of discussing things to be embodied in the Student Council creed. Also Mr. Cushman showed each class the beautiful watches Mr. Holger Peterson is offering to the boy and girl who gains the most customers for the laundry.

Elsie Johnson spent the week end at her home in Roscommon.

Marshall Sisco is back with us after his illness.

The Mallinger girls left for Chicago Saturday.

At last the six weeks exams are over. My, what a relief. Many times this statement has circulated around the class rooms.

To the students surprise they found that the teachers were quite lenient in their tests. Evidently they were convinced that the last examinations were a little too deep for us. We all hope that they will keep the practice up throughout the year.

The students eventually will find quite an improvement in their marks when the cards come out.

Miss Dorr's class of beginners in typewriting took a speed test Thursday. From the way it appears it won't be long before we'll have some first class typists.

Charles Wylie, Elmer Fenton and Elmer Neal were guests of Lewis Engel on a hunting party last Friday. They all came home without their bucks.

Francis Brady is back with us again after several days of illness.

Antarctic Ice Best

Our idea of damming with faint grates crystallized into definite form again, when we saw by the paper that the ice around the South pole afforded better landing conditions for aircraft than that around the North pole does. —Ohio State Journal.

Great in Philosophy

The earliest philosopher on record among the Greeks was Thales. Other celebrated philosophers of this school include Socrates, Plato, Aristotle, and Alexander and Heraclitus.

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS CANTATA TO BE HELD SOON

It is not generally known that the efficient and untiring choir of the Michelson Memorial church have been doing arduous work on one of the finest cantatas ever procured for use as part of the Christmas program of the community church.

Someone has said that if the stars only came to the skies once in a hundred years, that everyone would rush out of their homes to see them, and look upon the scene with wonder, but since they come each night, we take them for granted and lose the sense of wonder out of our lives.

We fear that in our busy lives here in this community that not all of us are conscious of the splendid organizations which exist in our midst, and of all of them, there is none doing more excellent work and bringing higher honor to our town than this musical aggregation of splendid talent.

Last Easter they gave us a splendid cantata. Each Sunday the congregation of the Community church are honored with the finest of musical selections and we should honor this organization with a larger attendance each Sunday and a hearty word of appreciation at this time. We are not aware of the date set for the Christmas Cantata, but we do want to express our appreciation of what they have done and are doing for the cultural life of the community. We commend their loyalty, their unselfish devotion to a splendid task, and their service will always reflect high honor on their capable leader, Mrs. Clippert and the members of the organization.

LOCAL MANAGERS XMAS SEAL SALE

Lansing, Mich.—Appointment of local managers for the 1928 Christmas seal sale in the following Crawford county communities is announced by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association: Mrs. B. J. Funch, Eldorado; Villa Vance, Lovells; J. W. Payne, Frederic.

The managers have been appointed, according to T. J. Werle, executive secretary of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, to conduct intensive Christmas seal sales in their communities. The added proceeds will permit the carrying on of a more extensive anti-tuberculosis program in the county next year.

"Crawford county particularly needs better chest clinic service and more health education work," stated Mr. Werle. "With the help of these local managers we hope to realize sufficient funds in the sale this year to finance these enterprises in 1929."

The Christmas seal sale opens on Thanksgiving Day, November 29, and will continue until Christmas Day.

Historic Tree

There is a mulberry tree planted by John Milton on the campus of Christ College, at Cambridge, England.

Christmas Is Comin'



Similarity in Diseases

Silicosis, a disease caused by the inhalation of dust, gives rise to symptoms exactly similar to tuberculosis. To make a differential diagnosis between the two is extremely difficult.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, Dec. 2, 1928

At 10:30 a. m. A Christian Fellowship service. The Epworth Leaguers are asked to attend in a body. Please be in the church parlors by 10:25 a. m. sharp. Special music by the choir at this service. Theme of Address: "The Spirit of Calvary."

At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will give another popular Sunday evening address on the subject: "Three Chums of Mine." The Glee Club of the High School have been doing splendid service in these community services and we want to thank them publicly for their musical contributions in these evening meetings. Come again and often.

I Heard a Citizen of Grayling Say: "Better a nation free than a nation sober." Query: "Could a nation be free if it were not sober?"

ENTERTAIN BRIDGE CLUB

The first dinner of the season for their Bridge Club was given Thursday evening by Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport and Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert.

A table was reserved for their guests at the Danish supper which was made attractive with a large silver basket filled with pink and white chrysanthemums, on either side of which were placed fancy candles, while turkey nut baskets and place cards marked the places of the twenty-four guests.

The Keyport home was arranged for the bridge game and the guests spent a most enjoyable evening there. Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mr. Marius Hanson held the high scores. Mrs. Terrace H. Wallace of Cass City was an out of town guest at the dinner.

GOODFELLOWSHIP CLUB NOTES

Mrs. C. G. Clippert was hostess to the Goodfellowship Club Monday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. A. Bauman. After the business session the meeting was in charge of Mrs. C. R. Keyport, who read a sketch of the life of Franz Schubert whose death occurred 100 years ago, Nov. 17, 1828.

Mrs. Clippert gave the following musical numbers by Schubert: Serenade by Schubert. Marche Militaire by Schubert. Lunch was served by the hostess. Club Visits Infirmary.

Thursday afternoon the club ladies visited the County Infirmary when the following program was given: Ladies trio—Summer Song by Stults—Mrs. Milnes, Mrs. Gothro, and Mrs. Jarmin. Solo—Just You, by Hackett—Mrs. Milnes. Duet—Sunshine in Rainbow Valley, by Hamblen—Mrs. Jarmin and Mrs. Milnes.

Solo—Silver Threads Among the Gold, by Danks—Mr. Webb. Sextette—God Calling Yet, by Ruebush—Mrs. Clippert, Mrs. Milnes, Mrs. Gothro, Mrs. Jarmin, Mr. Alexander and Mr. Webb.

Prairie Territory

"Prairie Provinces" is the name applied to the three Canadian provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

100,000TH NASH "400" OCCASION OF CELEBRATION

Company Officials Review Record-Breaking Success of New Series

Kenosha, Wis., November 23— at 9:30 this morning, to the accompaniment of wildly blown whistles and ringing cheers, the 100,000th Nash "400" rolled off the production line at the Kenosha, Wisconsin, plant of the Company, although the "400" series was only announced June 21st. The hundred thousandth "400" is an Advanced Six Ambassador model, and after being shown in Kenosha it will be shipped to the Warren Nash Corporation, New York Nash distributors, where a reception and parade down Fifth Avenue has been arranged in its honor.

C. W. Nash and other factory officials were present to extend an enthusiastic welcome to this history-making car.

In expressing his gratification over this accomplishment, Mr. Nash said: "Our men are certainly to be congratulated on this engineering, production and sales record. It eclipses by thousands and thousands of cars all our previous accomplishments."

"The '400' is a record-breaking motor car. It has won the hearts of motorists all over the world in a most convincing manner. Our only problem has been to produce the cars to meet the demand. We could have sold thousands more if we had had them to sell during the peak buying season. But we have not allowed '400' popularity to tempt us to relax the care which we have always exercised to see that every car we build is right."

"We have built into the new '400' new features of desirability which are not found in other cars—the new Twin Ignition motor, Salon bodies, and the like. The public has found in it the kind of a car they always have wanted to own, one that duplicates at moderate prices the quality and attractiveness of the most expensive motor cars built today."

"When the first '400' was built, I said, 'It has been the ambition of my career to build such a car as I know the '400' to be.'"

"My estimate of this car has now been confirmed by public judgment. It is one of the greatest successes the motor car industry ever has seen."

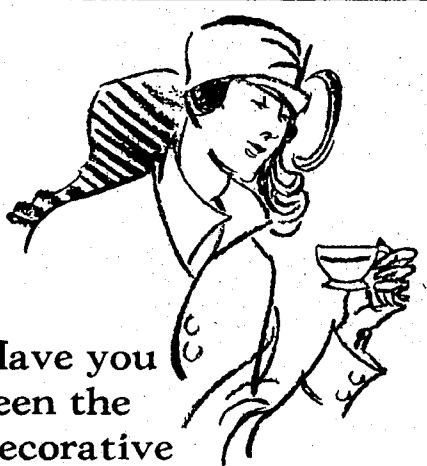
"Only recently, I completed an extended trip abroad, where I examined carefully all the latest offerings of the best foreign automobile manufacturers as displayed at the London and Paris motor shows. All that I saw there deepened my conviction that the Nash '400' was right at the head of the most modern trend in design as well as performance."

"In a few days, this 100,000th Nash '400' will be in the hands of its owner, and that owner will share the enthusiasm of 99,999 other '400' owners. I never in all my years of motor car building have had so many fine expressions of satisfaction from the great family of Nash owners."

"They all agree that in the new Nash '400' the world has a new and finer motor car, and that Nash leads the world in motor car value."—Adv.

Changeable

Most of us live in fear of being thought changeable. We act as though we were baseball umpires and didn't dare to change our minds even after a bad decision. The sensible program is to change your mind as often as you get new facts enough to justify it.—Grove Patterson, in the Mobile Register.



"Have you seen the decorative possibilities of Celotex?"

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FEAR

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

Nothing else so inhibits progress as fear—fear of failure, fear of people, fear of criticism, fear of what people will say, fear of disease, fear of the unexpected, and of the most trifling and impossible things. It is the skeleton sitting across the table from one and mocking him at the feast. I have seen people crushed by it, paralyzed, incapacitated and made wholly ineffective and unfitted for the responsibilities of life. It was fear, so we are told, which drove primitive man to sacrifice—fear of the gods and a desire to placate them by offering up something of value. It is a foolish thing in many instances, which takes away initiative and originality and freedom of action.

Mrs. Stacey is afraid of mice. She cannot remember when she was free from this fear, nor does she recollect what first caused it. She looks furtively into every corner when she is going about the house lest a mouse escape her; she turns down the sheets before getting into bed at night—a mouse may have crept in during the day. She sits tense in her chair at home and when calling upon friends, her meager skirts drawn tightly about her limbs, afraid, not realizing that the mouse, should it appear, is far more afraid of her than she is of it.

Sheldon is afraid of disease. He himself really has nothing the matter with him, but his uncle died of cancer a few years ago and ever since Sheldon has been haunted by the thought that he, too, will shortly succumb to the same hideous disease. He exaggerates every symptom, he grows cold with fear at any localized pain, he examines every abrasion, and shudders when he finds a mole on any part of his body. He has little piece of mind night or day—fear of disease paralyzes him.

Miss Lenox is afraid of what people will say. Maybe her remarks at the sewing society were too personal, too direct. Perhaps she should not have expressed herself so categorically. She said something very complimentary she recalls, her face growing hot, concerning the new minister, and he is not married. What will people say? Will they think she is settling her cap for him? Horrors! Fear takes her into its clutches. She is almost afraid to walk down the street—she has done the wrong thing, she has spoken indiscreetly.

Dudley has always been terrorized by the thought of poverty. He has never wanted anything; he has been in comfortable circumstances all his life, but constantly there is before him the dread of bankruptcy. Crops will fail, prices will run down, his creditors will become insolvent, the bank in which his funds are deposited will fail—a thousand things are sure to conspire against him and in his old age he will be a mendicant, a beggar on street corners, an inmate of the poor house. To his dying day he will live in fear of poverty.

Courage! What a wonderful weapon it is with which to fight these useless fears which at one time or another possess us all!

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Igorrotes Head Hunters

The Igorrotes are members of the wild-head-hunting tribes of Luzon Philippine Islands, an answered question points out in Liberty Magazine.

ONE THING AT A TIME

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

There is an old saying that a man with too many irons in the fire is very likely to get some of them burned. One would understand the reference better if he had ever watched a blacksmith heating two pieces of iron so that they might be properly welded together. It was a careful process. The metal might not be taken out of the coals too soon or the welding process would be abortive or unsuccessful; it might not get too long or the iron would be burned and so rendered useless. It was enough to keep the eye on two irons at a time. So the man who attempts to manage too many jobs at once is sure to fall into difficulty.

I have seen a man in Italy playing five alleged musical instruments at once—hands, feet, mouth, and head all engaged in musical activity at the same time, but the harmony reduced by the endeavor was not perfect. He might better have given his attention to one instrument and so possibly have learned that more perfectly. Jugglers can sometimes keep three balls and two pie tins in the air with out dropping any one of them, but there is danger, and it is better for us ordinary and inadequately trained mortals to content ourselves with one at a time.

I met a young fellow the other day as I was driving along the highway with one arm about his sweetheart and with the other he was guiding a motor car rather uncertainly though rapidly. Coming back the same road an hour or two later I saw the car in the ditch and I was told the lovers had been seriously injured. Love is an endeavor which demands all of the attention of any young fellow who is possessed by it, and a motor car is not a machine carelessly to be guided with one hand. The man who attempts to guide a car with one hand while he makes love with the other is pretty likely to go into the ditch and wreck both his love affairs and the machine. One thing at a time is better and likely to furnish more real enjoyment.

Graham was not getting on very satisfactorily with his studies, and I attempted to find the reason. He seems capable enough when you talk to him and I was puzzled at his failure.

"Well, you see," he explains to me, "I was trying to manage the political affairs of my class, and it took more time than I thought it would, and so I neglected my studies until they are in a pretty hopeless tangle. I am afraid."

He was quite right in his estimate of the situation. He was headed for failure in his college work and the political affairs of his class had been so carelessly managed that his friends had lost their election.

One thing at a time is usually enough.

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Helen Wills Is Best



Miss Helen Wills heads the list of the "World's First Ten" of women tennis players named by S. Wallis Myers, British writer and critic of the game and announced in the "American Lawn Tennis."

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

A Few Hundred Below Freezing

Scientists do not shrink at low temperatures. In fact they are still trying to get to the real bottom of the temperature scale, so-called "absolute zero." This would mean a frigidty of some 450 degrees. At this point molecules cease to move—everything stands still. Man could not live in anything like this temperature.

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Labor Head Asks Nation's Workers to Support Red Cross

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, in Washington, calls upon the workers of the nation to support the twelfth annual roll call of the American Red Cross, November 11-29, in the following statement:

"Through the American Red Cross we find expression for some of our noblest ideals. It is an effective instrument for magnifying many times our personal service to humanity.

"In the face of great disasters, when the injured and homeless run into the thousands, there is little we can do individually. Consolidating our strength through membership in this great organization, our opportunity for service is unlimited.

We must not forget that every day is a day of disaster to thousands. Into homes where disaster strikes your Red Cross goes in your name to be friend and counselor to those upon whom misfortune has laid her heavy hand.

"As President of the American Federation of Labor, I hope and feel confident that the workers of the nation will respond to the Red Cross Roll Call and have a part in this organization's great work."

(Signed)
WILLIAM GREEN,
President
American Federation of Labor.



E. T. STRONG
President and General Manager
BUICK MOTOR CO.

DETROIT, Nov. 29.—Praising Detroit newspapers and officials of the city for the safety campaign which recently has been waged against speeders and reckless drivers here, E. T. Strong, president of the Buick Motor Co., has expressed the hope that a similar program might be carried out in every city, town and hamlet in the nation.

Messages are being sent to the more than 4,000 Buick dealers throughout the country, each of whom will be urged to get behind such a movement in his district.

"The fact that some communities have accomplished so much in the humanitarian work of avoiding traffic casualties is conclusive proof that the campaign can be carried to a successful conclusion everywhere," Strong declared, "and the Buick Motor Co. pledges the fullest cooperation of its plant resources in working to this end."

"The automobile no longer is a luxury—it is a necessity, a part of life. It is a necessity to the world being needed by those who use the streets as a means of travel and those who drive with it. The crowded traffic of the city is a fact of life."

That is a condition is a fact, Strong is certain, but he is equally certain that when the car is operated with care and on the streets and highways it is a pleasure and a pleasure to the community.

We've All Met Them

Ask some men how they feel and they will entertain you for an hour with their woes.



The TREASURE of the BUCOLEON

by ARTHUR D. HOWDEN SMITH

AUTHOR OF
BEYOND THE SUNSET, THE DOOM TRAIL ETC.

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RED CROSS "RELIEF" SHIP STARTS OUT THIS WEEK

This week thousands of tiny ships, each measuring less than an inch from prow to stern, will be launched on the first leg of voyages that eventually will carry them to all parts of Michigan.

Representing the Ship of Health, and carrying on their mainsails a red double barred cross, the ships are the design printed on the 1929 tuberculosis Christmas seals.

Distribution of the seals through the mails will be started by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association on Thanksgiving Day.

The ships conspicuously are making their first trip on the insides of envelopes, but on their second voyage, to be made in the weeks preceding Christmas, they will be prominently displayed upon the backs of envelopes and on a variety of other articles.

Purchasers of the seals have, in the twenty-one years that they have been sold in Michigan, devised a number of novel uses for them. The penny stickers are now found to decorate gift packages, theater programs, club notices, monthly bills, pay envelopes, restaurant menus, papers, and magazines.

D. R. W. W. CUMBERLAND, the

American expert who has made a survey of the financial and economic conditions of Nicaragua at the request of President Diaz, has submitted a new plan for the rehabilitation of that republic, the salient feature of which is a recommendation for more extensive American participation in the administration of Nicaraguan finances.

He urges, as vital for the stabilization of Nicaragua, the maintenance of a strong national constabulary under American officers. The principal financial features of the plan provide for: Control of the collection and expenditure of Nicaraguan public funds by an American collector general and an American auditor general.

Control of the Nicaraguan budget by a high commission controlled by Americans.

Sale to an American financial group of the majority interest in the National Bank of Nicaragua.

Refunding of the Nicaraguan national debt.

Negotiation of a new loan of \$12,000,000 by Nicaraguan officials.

Two Claims to Fame

On September 24, 1925, at Germantown, Va., John Marshall first chief justice of the United States Supreme court, was born. Known by all law students for his "Twelvions," he is equally famed for his biography of George Washington.

Want Ads

WILL EXCHANGE—Have Florida vacant property to exchange for Grayling or Grayling improved land. R. J. Callahan, 5816 W. Fort St., Detroit, Mich. 11-29-3

STRAYED—To my place, 1 Shropshire ram. Ed. Feldhauser, Star Route No. 1, Grayling, Mich.

WANTED—Roomers and Boarders. Mrs. Boening at the H. C. Schmidt residence, Michigan avenue.

FOUND—Auto tire and rim, on Kalkaska road about seven miles from Grayling, Sunday, Nov. 18. Call for same at Avalanche Office.

FOR SALE—Several houses and lots, two vacant lots and a place well fitted for a business place, located on U. S. 27. Also blacksmith shop on U. S. 27. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, administrator Palmer Estate.

BARGAIN OFFER FOR 200 ACRES—Close to Grayling. Look this over if interested. O. P. Schumann, realtor, Avalanche Bldg. Phone 111.

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"We Serve Michigan"

The Case of the Day-Coach Passenger versus the Elimination of the Pullman Surcharge

ABOLITION of the Pullman Surcharge is once more being urged for passage by the Congress of the United States.

ADOPTION of the Robinson (Senate) Bill involves direct losses to the railroads in revenues aggregating \$40,000,000 per annum and this loss of necessity will have to be made up in some manner. There are three expedients only:

- (1) Increased passenger rates for all passengers whether in the day coach or in the Pullman or Parlor Cars.
- (2) Restricting passenger service on certain lines.
- (3) Charging this expense to the shippers of freight.

ANY one of these three expedients is undesirable, unfair from the community standpoint, and not in the best interests of society as a whole.

AFTER all the Pullman service—for passengers traveling in sleeping or parlor cars—is a high class hotel service on wheels, that a great part of the traveling public does not demand nor expect.

THE surcharge—the 50 per cent. additional—tacked on to the regular Pullman charge—is the special revenue derived by the railroads for the performing of special service to the passengers who want to travel in extra comfort and luxury. Such passengers require:

- A heavier capital investment in cars per capita.
- Two and one half times the space that is allotted to the passenger in the day coach.

An average of twelve thousand two hundred and sixty pounds of car as against 8,800 pounds per passenger riding in day coaches. Parking of Pullman cars before train departure and after arrival at the terminals involving considerable extra work and heavier terminal costs and requiring the holding, for that purpose only, of the railroads' highest-priced lands in the larger cities.

Pullman cars being often moved one way empty—as for instance, in the California and Florida service, which means a double road haul for one fare and in many cases to take care of these movements, cars have to be hauled extra distances.

Railroads having to guarantee earnings on every line of Pullman cars operated and contracting for their use over a period of years.

ALL of these obligations are extra expenses upon the railroads which are not involved in the handling of day coach passengers.

IT is a principle of good business and good government to make the user of a service pay for that special service. That is followed in the higher charge for air mail as against the ordinary service.

THE Interstate Commerce Commission has twice refused to abolish the surcharge as being contrary to the basic principle of the greatest good to the greatest number, the guiding standard of all of that body's decisions. The Interstate Commerce Commission is a properly constituted court that represents the interests of all the people. Why should its decisions be upset for the benefit of the few to the prejudice of the interests of the many.

Write your senator or congressman to-day protesting against this unfair and uneconomic legislation

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County Canvassers' Statement

November 6, 1928

County of Crawford

County Canvassers' Statement and Clerk's Return

Statement of votes cast in the county of Crawford, State of Michigan, at the General Election held in said county, on Tuesday, the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight, for the following offices: seven members of the United States Senate, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Justices of the Supreme Court (to fill vacancy), United States Senator (to fill vacancy) for the term ending the fourth day of March, nineteen hundred twenty-nine; United States Senator for the term ending the fourth day of March, nineteen hundred thirty-five; Representative in Congress, from the tenth Congressional District, Senator, for the 20th Senatorial District; Representative in the State Legislature, for the Presque Isle Representative District, and for the following County Offices: Judge of Probate, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, and County Surveyor.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of President and Vice President of the United States was 1,012, and they were given for the following named persons:

Albert E. Sleeper received	771
Wm. W. Potter received	771
James B. Bradley received	771
George D. Schermerhorn received	771
Arthur E. Rudolph received	771
Claude A. Taylor received	771
Clarence C. Crocker received	771
DeWitt Vought received	771
Thomas Smurthwaite received	771
Bugenia Ryan received	771
John G. Krauth received	771
Lucius G. Hillier received	771
John Lenanne received	771

Total 11,628

Democratic Party Electors

Minnie Kallenbrun received	237
Michael Hoban received	237
Clark C. Hyatt received	237
Boyes Dansard received	237
George D. Schermerhorn received	237
Arthur E. Rudolph received	237
Claude A. Taylor received	237
Clarence C. Crocker received	237
DeWitt Vought received	237
Thomas Smurthwaite received	237
Bugenia Ryan received	237
John G. Krauth received	237
Lucius G. Hillier received	237
John Lenanne received	237

Total 3,519

Prohibition Party Electors

Marion A. Brooks received	2
Edward S. Jennings received	2
Roy O. Bentley received	2
Harold Littenbacher received	2
Belden C. Hoyt received	2
Charles Butler received	2
Emer J. Wilder received	2
E. W. Mason received	2
Jacob Imhoff received	2
Thomas Archer received	2
Mary McKnight received	2
Howard L. Holmes received	2
Libbie Catherine received	2
Christopher Tucker received	2
E. M. Loose received	2

Total 30

Arthur I. Wood received 2 |

Edward McAfee received 2 |

Evert Jarvi received 2 |

Horace T. Auckerman received 2 |

B. F. Underhill received 2 |

Arthur Rubenstein received 2 |

Samuel Levin received 2 |

Andrew Semrov received 2 |

Joseph B. Menton received 2 |

Jacob Bach received 2 |

Morris Winscow received 2 |

Joseph Heideman received 2 |

Abraham Binkow received 2 |

Sam Weinberg received 2 |

W. J. Miller received 2 |

Total 80

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Governor was 1,022 and they were given for the following named persons:

Fred W. Green received	682
William A. Comstock received	332
Ervin D. Brooks received	4
George Lockwood received	1

Total 1,022

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Lieutenant Governor was 1,013 and they were given for the following named persons:

Luren D. Dickinson received	761
Frank J. Sawyer received	246
Edith R. Littenbacher received	4
George M. Campbell received	2

Total 1,013

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Secretary of State was 1,014 and they were given for the following named persons:

John S. Haggerty received	765
Willis M. Brewer received	244
Charles S. Rennells received	4
Joseph Bernstein received	1

Total 1,014

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Attorney General was 1,012 and they were given for the following named persons:

Wilber M. Brucker received	769
Kim Sigler received	242
John Kiskilla received	0
Garmen N. Speredon received	1

Total 1,012

The whole number of votes cast for the office of State Treasurer was 1,015 and they were given for the following named persons:

Frank D. McKay received	797
David Uhl received	245
John Y. Johnston received	2
Nellie Hencken received	0
Joseph Vers received	0

Total 1,015

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Auditor General was 1,016 and they were given for the following named persons:

Garnet B. Fuller received	771
Bernard N. Ward received	240
Wiet McLean received	2
Jacob Wexler received	0
John W. Tunkel received	0

Total 1,016

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Justice of the Supreme

Court for the term ending December 31, 1929, was 1,012 and they were given for the following named persons:

Louis H. Fead received	770
Thomas A. E. Weadock received	242

Total 1,012

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December 31, 1935, was 1,011 and they were given for the following named persons:

Walter H. North received	770
Prentiss M. Brown received	241

Total 1,011

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December 31, 1935, was 992 and they were given for the following named persons:

Arthur H. Vandenberg received	773
John W. Bailey received	218
Daly McConne received	0
William L. Kriehoff received	0
Ben A. Faulkner received	0
David Boyd received	0

Total 992

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Senator (to fill vacancy) for the term ending March 4, 1929, was 990 and they were given for the following named persons:

Arthur H. Vandenberg received	773
John W. Bailey received	215
Francis W. Elliott received	0

Total 990

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in Congress for the Tenth Congressional District, was 1,012 and they were given for the following named persons:

Roy O. Woodruff received	783
Judson E. Richardson received	229

Total 1,012

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Senator for the 28th Senatorial District, was 772 and they were given for the following named persons:

Tony Achard received	772
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Total 772

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in the State Legislature, for the Presque Isle District, was 1,008 and they were given for the following named persons:

William Green received	773
Henry J. Klee received	235

Total 1,008

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Judge of Probate was 800 and they were given for the following named persons:

George Sorenson received	800
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Total 800

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Prosecuting Attorney was 800 and they were given for the following named persons:

Merle F. Nellist received	793
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Total 793

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Sheriff was 1,023 and they were given for the following named persons:

L. E. Bobmeyer received	836
Peter F. Jorgenson received	187

Total 1,023

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Clerk was 804 and they were given for the following named persons:

Charles Gierke received	804
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Total 804

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Treasurer was 1,020 and they were given for the following named persons:

William Ferguson received	789
Clayton D. Straehly received	231

Total 1,020

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Register of Deeds was 806 and they were given for the following named persons:

Andrew Hart received	806
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Total 806

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Circuit Court Commissioner was 793 and they were given for the following named persons:

Merle F. Nellist received	793
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Total 793

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Coroner was 1,585 and they were given for the following named persons:

Dr. C. R. Keyport received	801
Emil Kraus received	784

Total 1,585

The whole number of votes cast for the office of County Surveyor was 797 and they were given for the following named persons:

Ernest P. Richardson received	797
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Total 797

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

We do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes given in the County of Crawford, for the offices named in said statement and for the persons designated therein, at the General Election held on the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and caused to be affixed the seal of the

(Seal) affixed the seal of the

Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this 9th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight.

Albert Lewis

Ernest P. Richardson

Geo. N. Olson

Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

Attest:

Charles Gierke

Clerk of the Board of County Canvassers.

County Canvassers' Statement

November 6, 1928

County of Crawford

County Canvassers' Statement and Clerk's Return

Statement of votes given in the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, at the General Election held on Tuesday, the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight, for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State, relative to fixing the compensation of members of the legislature; for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State relative to fixing legislative territory and districts; for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State relative to authorizing municipalities to condemn and take the fee to more land than is needed for acquiring, etc., boulevards, streets and alleys, and to issue bonds therefor.

The whole number of votes given for and against the proposed amendment to the Constitution relative to fixing legislative territory and districts, was 611 and they were given as follows: 290 votes were given for said amendment and 321 votes were given against said amendment.

Total 611

The whole number of votes given for and against the proposed amendment to the Constitution relative to authorizing municipalities to condemn and take the fee to more land than is needed for acquiring, etc., boulevards, streets and alleys, and to issue bonds therefor, was 645 and they were given as follows: 358 votes were given for said amendment and 287 votes were given against said amendment.

Total 645

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

We do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes given in the County of Crawford, at the General Election held on the sixth day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight, for and against the proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State relative to fixing the compensation of members of the legislature; for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State relative to fixing legislative territory and districts; for and against the adoption of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State relative to authorizing municipalities to condemn and take the fee to more land than is needed for acquiring, etc., boulevards, streets and alleys, and to issue bonds therefor.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this 9th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight.

(Seal) affixed the seal of the

Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this 9th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight.

Charles Gierke

Geo. N. Olson

Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

Attest:

Charles Gierke

Clerk of Board of County Canvassers.

State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

We do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes given in this County for and against the proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State named herein, and of the certificate thereto attached, are correct transcripts of the originals of such statement and certificate and of the whole of such originals on file in the office of the Clerk of said County, so far as they relate to the votes on the questions named herein.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, and affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford this 9th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-eight.

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Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers.

Attest:

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVA LANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, Nov. 23, 1905

Dr. Leighton has been looking after some lumbering operations in Kalamazoo County, for the past two weeks. We expect he is home for his turkey today.

Married in this village, Nov. 20, David R. Spencer and Mrs. Amanda Ovinson, Rev. H. A. Sheldon officiating. "It is not good for man to be alone."

James J. Collen and family have moved back to their village home from Portage, and are now anxious for summer to return so they can go back to the lake.

Grayling remains in all things the happy center of our great state. While the winds of last week did immense damage in every other section, though it was a little breeze here, we were entirely devoid of damage or danger.

The south-side market and grocery store of N. Michelson is in charge of H. Nolan with Miss Emma Nelson behind the counter. Judging from the amount of goods going out it is a great convenience to the patrons on that side of the river. Fred Michelson is bookkeeper and general push.

Our second grade teacher reports that nine year old Edward King in a test last week wrote the entire poem "America" from memory without a single mistake in capitalization, punctuation or spelling. Marguerite Burgess and Magnus Hanson made one mistake each in punctuation.

Died—At her home in this village, Sunday, November 26th, Mrs. Clara Ashenfelter, age 22 years. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mortenson, of Beaver Creek. She was born in this village, and has always lived in this vicinity, where she has many friends who with the bereaved husband and family will sincerely mourn her loss.

Sheriff Stilwell and wife have gone to Flint to eat turkey, and will visit until they get over the big dinner.

Mert Moore, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles Stannard, returned home Saturday to eat turkey from the old table.

J. Frederickson, the architect of Grayling was in the village the last of the week, arranging for the finishing of some inside work in N. Michelson's residence.

Mrs. John Rasmussen of Johannesburg was in Frederic and Grayling the last of the week, combining a visit with her friends here, with her business interests.

Judge Sharpe has appointed James J. Collen to fill the vacancy in the office of County Clerk, made by the resignation of W. H. Taylor. Mr.

Collen's experience will be of benefit to the office.

Johannesburg Items
Winter is here, big snow storm last Monday night and Tuesday.

The office chair of F. L. Michelson was vacant a portion of last week, as he was out of town on business.

Mr. H. Dudd the genial superintendent for the Johannesburg Mfg. Co., informs us that the terrific wind storm of last week unroofed several piles of lumber in the company's yard.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

Artificial Rain

An Illinois scientist has produced artificial rain in his laboratory. He took a vessel in which the air had been saturated with moisture—just short of precipitation. When he expanded the air the moisture turned to fog. Then when he introduced the presence of dust—by lighting a match near the reservoir and allowing the carbon smoke to filter in—the fog turned into rain.

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TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

Lots 7 and 8, Block 7, Second Addition to Portage Lake Park. Amount paid \$8.05 taxes for 1926 \$1.82.

Signed: C. M. White and Clara N. White.

Place of business: 111 So. Chestnut St.
Lansing, Mich.

11-29-4

The POSTMAN and CHRISTMAS

EVER since she had been a child she had thought that the postman was about the most interesting person in the world. He it was who brought all the letters and packages and papers and magazines, who always might be bringing any number of surprises.

To be sure, he often passed the house without leaving anything, but then there was always the chance that he might bring anything.

At Christmas time he was the most wonderful sort of a person, with his bag filled with presents and cards and calendars and letters from friends she was sure would not forget her, and from friends she was so pleased had not forgotten her.

Sometimes he brought just the most delicious mail of all—sometimes he brought a fruit cake, or a box of candy that a friend of hers had made.

So it was that she, Minnie, had always loved postmen in general, and now it seemed as though she were being particularly fond of one postman in particular. He was on their route and he often came in and chatted after the day's work was over.

She had gone to school with him and she had always liked him. The old postman was a dear—no matter how many bundles he was carrying at Christmas time he always seemed to be happy that his load was heavy, because it meant just that much more joy along the route.

But he had retired and now every Christmas they took his present to him and sat and chatted with him and with his wife, who always brought out her Christmas cake to be shared by all.

She had not been displeased when the schoolboy friend had been given this route.

Not displeased at all. Hay was tall and very good-looking. She thought he looked so well in his postman's uniform. And certainly he seemed a little interested in her.

She was not displeased in this.

Not displeased at all.

Christmas Day, he had said, there would be no mail delivery. So she was a little surprised to see him coming down the street and up the steps of their house.

"I wonder if we're going to have mail after all," she said to herself. It hadn't occurred to her that he was not in his postman's uniform, and that he was coming just to see her. To be sure, he stopped in when he was off duty, but she had never quite felt he was so much interested in her as that he enjoyed the whole family.

She did belong to such a nice family, so jolly and cordial and friendly as they all were, and such fun.

And then it was all so clear, as they sat before the fire that Christmas afternoon, that he was interested in her—very, very much interested in her. More so than she had even thought or hoped or dreamed.

In fact, he told her all about it. And she was not displeased.

Not displeased at all.

Nor was she displeased.

Not displeased at all.

For she agreed that to be a postman's wife was not such a bad idea, and that, apart from everything else, it would be so particularly nice to know that the postman was going to come to one's house every single day in the whole year—to their own house.

And, as she said, it was such fun being engaged to a postman in the Christmas season.

He had not been too busy to think of her!

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Christmas Tie

Wife gave him a surprise. A tie made for his sake. 'Twas very like the ties That mother used to make. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Large Christmas Trees

The white pines are best for community and church Christmas trees as their size is more adapted to larger spaces. The spruce is one of the most common of Christmas trees.

Forced to Sleep In Chair—Gas So Bad

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HOOVER RULE SEEN AS AID TO BUSINESS

Chicago, Ill.—The tremendous resources of the most prosperous government in the world will be at the service of industry under the administration of Herbert Hoover, and "a new era of vitality and usefulness is about to begin for the trade association," O. H. Cheney, vice-president of the American Exchange Irving Trust Company of New York, said here at a banquet closing the annual meeting of the Portland Cement Association.

He is a member of the trade relations committee of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and made a plea for closer contact between American business and the Federal Trade Commission "to build a practical structure of business based on cooperation."

The speaker praised Herbert Hoover as "the greatest friend the trade associations of this country ever had," but advocated improved trade practices in all industry, at the same time sounding a warning against abuses likely to grow out of excess capacity to produce and the fear of idle machinery.

Frank H. Smith, of the Lawrence Portland Cement Company, New York, who was elected president of the cement association, in an address of acceptance, urged the necessity of voluntary curtailment of production in industries largely overbuilt, and advocated a protective tariff for cement.

NEW U-BOAT MUST MAKE GOOD

It has been learned at the Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit, that the U.S.S. V-4, probably the world's largest submarine, will have to thoroughly prove herself before being accepted by the Government. Tested off Provincetown, Mass., as to her diving ability, and then proceeding to Washington, D. C., for further examinations, her 104 safety devices will be submitted to exhaustive inspections. She will receive her final official trials off Provincetown about January 9th, before being formally accepted by the Navy.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 27th day of November A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Armstrong, deceased.

Fern Armstrong having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to said Fern Armstrong or to some other suitable person.

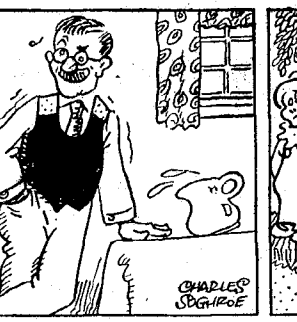
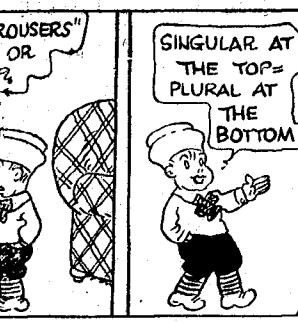
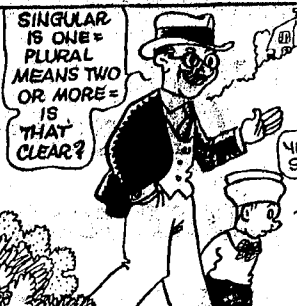
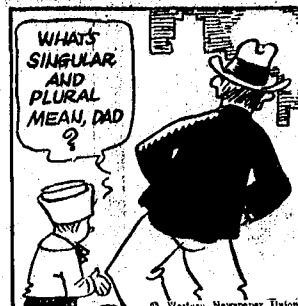
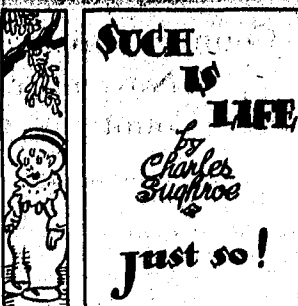
It is ordered, that the seventh day of January A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

11-29-4



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Careful citizens keep a pailful of water handy under the highly inflammable Christmas tree.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, on the 12th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight;

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rasmus Hanson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of The Second National Bank of Saginaw, by R. Perry Shorts, Vice President and Esbern Hanson and Oscar Hanson, praying that their first annual account as executors of the estate of said deceased may be examined and allowed by this Court.

It is ordered, that Wednesday, the twelfth day of December, 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition, examining said account and, if found correct, allowing the same.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Crawford.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy. 11-15-4

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Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate

R. L. BARRUS

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THE lubrication system for the engine of the new Ford is as simple in principle as water running down-hill.

A gear pump in the bottom of the oil pan raises the oil to the valve chamber reservoir. From here it flows on to the main crankshaft bearings and the front camshaft bearing. Overflow oil drops into the oil pan tray and runs into troughs through which the connecting rods pass.

As the ends of these rods strike the oil they scoop up a supply for the connecting rod bearing. At the same time they set up a fine spray that lubricates the pistons and other moving parts.

From the tray the oil runs into the bottom of the pan, and is again drawn up through a fine mesh screen, and pumped to the valve chamber.

This system is so effective that the five-quart contents of the oil pan pass through the pump twice in every mile when you are traveling at only 30 miles an hour. Yet there is only one movable part—the oil pump.

As a matter of fact, the lubrication system for the new Ford is so simple in design and so carefully made that it requires practically no service attention.

There is just one thing for you to do, but it is a very important thing... watch the oil! Change the oil every 500 miles and be sure the indicator rod never registers below low (L).

If the oil level is allowed to fall below low, the supply becomes insufficient to oil all parts as they should be oiled.

To insure best performance it is also advisable to have the chassis of your car lubricated every 500 miles. This has been made easy in the new Ford through the use of the high pressure grease gun system.

Proper oiling and greasing mean so much to the life of your car that they should not be neglected or carelessly done.

See your Ford dealer regularly. He is especially well-fitted to lubricate the new Ford and he will do a good, thorough job at a fair price.



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Local Happenings

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1928

Miss Kathryn Brown left Saturday night to visit over Thanksgiving in Flint.

Dance at Beaver Creek Town Hall Saturday night, Dec. 1. Last dance of the season.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. J. W. Greenwood at the parsonage Friday afternoon, Dec. 7th.

St. Mary's Altar Society will give a bake sale at the N. Schlotz grocery Saturday afternoon, Dec. 8th.

Miss Emma and Carl Hanson of Houghton Lake spent the week end visiting their sister, Mrs. A. J. Nelson.

Wilhelm Andreason of Flint was in Grayling Saturday on business. While here he visited at the home of N. Schlotz.

The Danish Ladies Aid society was entertained at Danebod hall Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Waldemar Jensen as hostess.

Joseph Fournier was called to Bay City Saturday by the serious condition of his mother, who has been ill for some time.

Jacob Cripps and sons Warren and Grant of Athens visited at the home of the former's son, Russell Cripps and family last Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport spent the week end in Detroit and Ann Arbor, attending the Michigan-Iowa game at the latter place Saturday.

Harold Edwards had the misfortune to get his left hand in a saw at the Kerry Hanson flooring mill Monday losing the ends of a couple of his fingers.

Robert Legner and brothers Julius and Peter of Bay City, have been enjoying deer hunting in this vicinity. Robert Legner was a former ice dealer in Grayling.

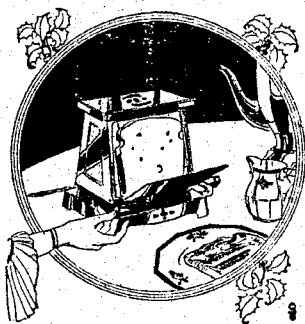
William Foley and family, who have been residing at Luzerne for years moved to their new home in Grayling last week, the former Carl Englund property.

Irvey Corwin of Lake City, an employee at Motts camp near Frederic was brot to Mercy Hospital Tuesday morning. It was found that he had a badly fractured leg.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson has returned home after a two weeks vacation spent in Flint, Detroit, Monroe and other places. She has resumed her duties at Sorenson Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith and Mrs. Homer Richmond, all of Vassar, have been occupying the Smith cottage at Lake Margrethe for several days, while the party has been enjoying the deer hunting.

Christmas cards now on display. Our 38c box of Christmas cards is the greatest bargain in cards. Ask for them at S. B. Variety Store.

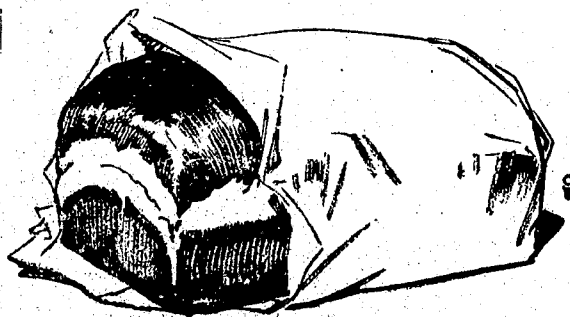


Electrical Gifts To Select Now

Some gifts may be better if selected later, but gifts electrical may be selected better now, since assortments are complete, and any special orders you may wish placed will be filled in time for Christmas giving.

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Grayling, Mich. Phone 154



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Frank Tatu made a business trip to Detroit Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau moved to Cadillac and Michigan Tuesday.

B. E. Smith and son Julian of Detroit arrived Wednesday to finish the deer-hunting season.

Edward Halck of Kalamazoo spent last week here deer hunting, a guest at the home of Edwin Chalkier.

Don't miss the dancing party at the Temple Theatre tonight (Nov. 29th.) Music by Shoppenagons Five.

The Ladies National League will hold their annual election of officers Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th. All members are requested to be present.

Farnum Matson, who has been employed in Detroit returned to Grayling Tuesday and expects to remain here resuming his duties at the local Postoffice.

Miss Eleanor Schumann, who is teaching in Grand Rapids, arrived last evening to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann.

Miss Fernie Armstrong accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Colladay and Clarence Johnson, returned Monday from a few days spent in Detroit.

Besides Eabern Hanson, Nels Michelson, son of Frank Michelson of Detroit has been the only one to be successful in filling his deer license among the party at Sunrise club.

Two-cord load of soft wood slabs delivered, \$5.00. Two-cord load hardwood slabs delivered, \$6.00. Phone 37. Grayling Manf. Co.

Saturday morning at an early hour the stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bissonette (Agnes Wendt) and left twins, a boy and a girl. They are fine, healthy youngsters and have been named Robert Charles and Betty Lou.

Carl Lindrose returned home Monday morning after a two weeks stay in Cleveland and Detroit, having gone to the former place to attend the funeral of a cousin. His cousin, Miss Ina Herdline, who also went to attend the funeral returned home last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Maxwell and family of Lake City were in Grayling over the week end visiting friends and Rev. Maxwell filled the pulpit at the F. M. church last Sunday. He has been in ill health for several weeks had was on his way to the southern part of the state to consult physicians.

The Red Cross Health Center is in need of clothing. Anyone who has any clothes for the Health Center, call either Mrs. Herford Sorenson, Mrs. Frank Anstett or Mrs. Thos. Cassidy and they will be called for. You can also leave them at the Health Center Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

The fire department was called to the Nelson Corwin home on Chestnut street at eight o'clock Sunday morning, when it was discovered the roof near the chimney was on fire. The blaze was probably caused from a spark from the chimney lighting on the roof. The fire was quickly extinguished with but small damage.

The Woman's Club are giving a series of bridge parties that they may replenish their charity fund. Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Miss Quackenbush and Miss Hermann were hostesses to three tables at the home of Mrs. Joseph on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Mrs. Emil Giegling and Mrs. Robert Reagan held high scores.

Word has been received of the death of Archie Charron, a former Grayling boy, that occurred at his home in Lansing Monday. Mr. Charron was survived by his wife and five children. Mrs. Charron's sister, Mrs. Kate Loskos left Monday afternoon to be in attendance at the funeral. Mr. Charron was the son of Hyacinth Charron, and grew to manhood in Grayling.

Hurl Deckrow and Miss Velma Barger of Flint arrived Saturday and are visiting over Thanksgiving at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. John Stephan, Jr., the former coming to go deer hunting. Also Clyde Bailey and Ben Balse, who have been hunting in this vicinity were visitors at the Stephan home for a couple of days returning to Flint Tuesday.

Both Alumni teams, boys and girls were defeated by the High School teams in the first basketball games of the season, on the local court Tuesday night. By the looks of things the local High School teams are going to put Grayling on the map in this sport this season. The boys game was an exciting contest with the score 16 to 12, while the girls game was very much one-sided.

Reo Flying Clouds, Middle States and Detroit city basketball champs two years, would like to book games for the coming season. Wire or write Tod Reader, 2272 East Jefferson Ave. This team holds the highest number of points scored in one season in the country, scoring over 2500 points in 78 games in 1927-28. Advertising will be furnished in advance as to the merits of the team.

Mrs. A. L. Roberts and youngest daughter have been visiting her sisters Mrs. C. M. White and Mrs. J. W. Hoffman in Lansing for the past ten days. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Chris Johnson, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Roberts, Mrs. Peter Nelson and Miss Margaret Hemmington, motored to Lansing to spend Thanksgiving at the White and Hoffman homes, joining Mrs. Roberts there.

P. L. Brown, who has been a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor, where he underwent an operation several weeks ago left Ann Arbor Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Burt Scholz and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown for Saginaw, where he went to spend a few days before continuing the trip home. However the Scholzes were expected to bring him home so that he could eat his Thanksgiving dinner in Grayling. Mr. Brown is recovering rapidly from his recent illness, which will be glad news to his friends.

Just received our 1928 Christmas card assortment. Buy a few of our assorted cards. Here is an opportunity. S. B. Variety Store.

Mrs. Dorothy Johnson spent the week end with friends in Detroit.

Flexible Flyer Racers now on display at our store. Sorenson Bros.

Mrs. Emma Decker of Roscommon is visiting at the home of her son Frank Decker and family.

David Keyes of Flint is a guest at the Holger Schmidt home, while here enjoying deer hunting.

A Grayling Cook Book would make a lovely Christmas gift. You may get them from any member of St. Mary's Altar society.

Carnival dancing party at Temple Theatre Thanksgiving night, Nov. 29th. Everybody cordially invited. Favors for everyone.

Two-cord load of soft wood slabs delivered, \$5.00. Two-cord load hardwood slabs delivered, \$6.00. Phone 37. Grayling Manf. Co.

T. E. Douglas, dealer, and Clarence Stillwagon have gone to Buffalo, N. Y. to drive back a couple of Stewart trucks, one of which is for A. R. Craig of the Model Bakery.

Herman Hanson, who is employed in Flint but who had been at Grand Rapids writing on a pharmacist's examination visited his mother, Mrs. Hansine Hanson from Thursday until Sunday.

St. Mary's Altar society held a special meeting at the home of its president, Mrs. Marius Hanson Tuesday afternoon to arrange for their annual Christmas party for the children of the parish. Mrs. Hanson served tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lovely enjoyed a visit Sunday from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Golnick of Flint and also their two sons Floyd and Ernest, who are employed in Detroit.

The regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 33 will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 5th. The ladies are planning a pot luck supper on this date to which the husbands are invited. There will be initiation.

Capt. Sindlinger of the Commissary department of the State, was in Grayling last week deer hunting, but was not lucky enough to fill his license. Capt. Sindlinger comes to Grayling each summer during the M. N. G. camp.

Roscoe Moine, of Flint, nephew of Charles Fehr, and Paul Higby of Caro spent the week end in Grayling deer hunting, guests at the Fehr home. Mr. Higby on his first deer hunt landed his buck after being out but an hour.

Leo Morency drove up from Pontiac last week to accompany his mother, Mrs. Lucy Morency to Detroit where she will visit among her children for the winter. He was accompanied by Thomas Craig and Charles Foley. Mr. Craig is a son-in-law of Mrs. Morency.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson are enjoying a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Johnson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Rose Kelley and twin daughters and Peter Emil Johnson Jr., all of Grand Rapids who have been spending several days here. The men folks of the party came to hunt deer.

Mrs. Levinne Detzler and 16 months old child, Mr. John Wilcox of Mt. Morris, and Mr. Fred Olson of Flint are all patients at Grayling Mercy Hospital, suffering with injuries received in an auto accident. The little Detzler babe, although not injured was threatened with pneumonia.

Capt. Harry Hanover of Ypsilanti, who comes to Grayling each year with the Michigan National Guard was in this vicinity last week deer hunting. Mr. Hanover has purchased the property with a number of feet of Ausable river frontage, near Frederic from Ernest Richards, which was formerly the old B. P. Johnson property.

Mr. and Mrs. Eggie Bugby are enjoying a visit from the latter's brother George Markwart of Royal Oak, who is here for the deer hunting season. Guests at the Bugby home last week were Monroe Porter of Flint and Arthur Parker of Lansing, both of whom were successful in filling their deer licenses. Neither Mr. Bugby nor Mr. Markwart have gotten their bucks as yet.



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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1928



Why Turkey for Thanksgiving?

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In this way the turkey became the national Thanksgiving bird—a symbol of completed harvest, of goodwill, of grateful appreciation for blessings received.

We hope your blessings have been many and may continue.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store

Grayling, Michigan

Phone 1251

Take your prescriptions to the Central Drug Store.

Miss Olga Nelson will leave Friday to spend a week in Grand Rapids and Detroit.

Helen Elaine MacLeod spent the week end in Bay City visiting her mother, Mrs. Ollie MacLeod.

Mrs. Don Sheldon and baby are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sheldon. Mrs. Sheldon was formerly Margaret Richards.

Mrs. H. C. Schmidt of Flint spent the week end at her home here, and Harold Schmidt was home a couple of days the last of the week returning to Flint Saturday.

Dr. R. L. Barrus, announces that his dental offices will be closed Friday and Saturday of this week. Dr. Barrus will be in Detroit in attendance at a dental convention.

ANNOUNCEMENT

All members and their wives, are cordially invited to attend a pot luck supper at our club rooms, Tuesday evening, December 4th, at six o'clock. We urge every member to be present as this is a very important meeting and we want you to assist us in laying out our program for the ensuing year. Then too in order to have a successful year we need your co-operation.

Let us all turn out and enjoy a pleasant social evening together, and revive the old time community spirit. GRAYLING BOARD OF TRADE, T. W. Hanson, President, A. J. Joseph, Sec'y.

LOVELLS NEWS

Mrs. Sherwood Curtis and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kellogg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Butler of Lansing spent a few days with Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Caid.

The Lewiston dances were enjoyed by quite a few Lovells folks by all reports.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Titus and Mr. and Mrs. Mart Overly of Grant are camping here during hunting season.

Clarence Stillwagon went to Buffalo, N. Y. to get a new Stewart truck for the county.

Mrs. Roger Caid had a large party of hunters staying at her place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albright and a party of friends of Flint are staying at the Goff cottage.

Dan Witte, Frank Rock and Myron and Willard Wilson of Saginaw were at the home of Alfred Nephew for a few days.

A party of hunters stopped at the Joseph Doby home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nephew and Miss Corn Nephew spent the week end at Mio, Miss Doris Small returning with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kellogg entertained their daughter Mable of Flint. John Rowe, John Kellogg and Jack Caid are back from their great adventure.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dines of Sand Lake are tenting on the old camp ground.

The Douglas house was a busy place during hunting season.

Pete and John Vallier of Merille spent a few days with their cousin Ray Doby.

Bill Caid was at the Papenfus home for a few days.

Art Dean of Millington was a Lovells caller.

Mrs. Ida Bill and a party of friends of Saginaw were at the Bill cabin.

NEW CLUB PROJECT IN OTSEGO COUNTY

(By E. M. T. Service)

The third club development in Otsego County is now well underway. The incorporation is known as the Manistee Wilderness Club, and the 12,000 acres, including lakes and rivers, owned by the club, are located in the southwest corner of Otsego County and part of Antrim County.

The property includes an area that is unusually wild. Included in the area are eight lakes and 15 miles of frontage on the Manistee River. Dense growth offers ideal game cover. Under plans of the promoters the club buildings are to be of logs. There will be a large main lodge with two fireplaces, a large sleeping room 150 feet long, a dining room of the same length and 20 two-room log cottages for those who desire more privacy. Two swimming pools, one for adults and a smaller one for children are planned.

39 cents for a dollar's worth of Christmas cards at the S. B. Variety Store.

Set Bookkeeping Standard
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SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 O'CLOCK All children welcome.

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Our Bulletin

The Busy Shopper's Guide

Only 21 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

As usual we have a big assortment of Furniture and other things suitable for Christmas presents. This year we are our own importers of Toys. 48 dozens of 10c toys from our import shipment are now on display in our variety store.

You Cannot Expect to Last Chance! Do Not Let It Slip By

Get Something for Nothing!

But really here is a good looking Bedroom Set—Bed, Dresser and Chest, finished in a beautiful shaded green.

See it in our east show window. Price of 3-piece set \$59.90

Kyanize Celoid Finish, 1-4 off on full line except white. A fine enamel for furniture and interior woodwork. Here is the list of colors.

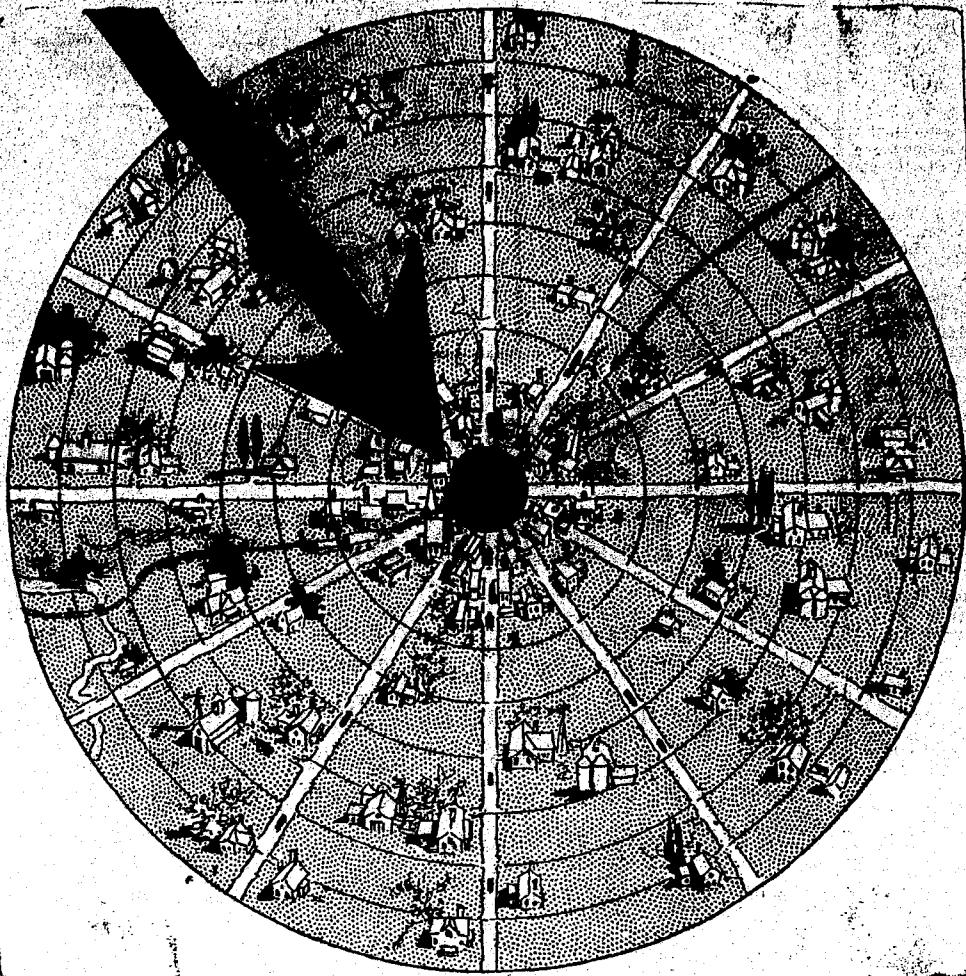
Pale Ivory	Sunset Pink
Dixie Gray	Mellow Cream
Gulf Blue	Orange
Twilight Blue	Pure Gray
India Buff	Granite Gray
Niagara Green	Havana Brown
Jade Green	Chinese Red

PRICES:

Gallons	\$3.58
Half Gallons	\$1.88
Quarts	\$1.09
Pints	60c
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Grayling Board of Trade

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DIGIORGIO ORCHESTRA HERE DEC. 11

This capable family of musicians, each of whom is a genuine artist, have made of the DiGiorgio Orchestra one of the most popular concert companies in the field.

Headed by T. DiGiorgio, foremost soloist with the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra and a well-known artist on the trombone, Alpine horn and guitar, the orchestra consists of Signora DiGiorgio, cornetist and cellist, Signorina Fortunata DiGiorgio, mandolin virtuoso, pianist, accordionist and xylophonist, and Signorina Adalina DiGiorgio, solo violinist.

This widely known musical entertainment company will appear here Tuesday evening, December 11 at Michelson Memorial church.

EAST MICHIGAN NEWSPAPERS URGE HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS

(By E. M. T. Service)

The Bay City Times and the Alpena News in recent editorials both called attention to the desirability of improvements in East Michigan giving

more attention to the improvement of highways from the viewpoint of beauty. The Bay City Times calls attention to the activities of the Canadians and the Alpena News directs attention to the activities of authorities of New York state for Long

Island highway improvements. The East Michigan Tourist Association has been interested in these phases of improvement for several years. Speaking about East Michigan's lakes, forests, good roads, the Bay City Times says "many a mile

must be covered to reach these beauty spots and along the way much of the country side is anything but attractive. Mile after mile must be passed without seeing a thing of beauty. Would it not be a good scheme--to foster a plan similar to the one in use in Quebec?"

"Just as offenses to the nose and ear may be controlled under police power so may offenses to the eye," says the Alpena News; "the backing of this movement may become so strong that ultimately it will banish ugly outdoor advertising of all kinds from country and city."

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Grille Guards Door

To protect residences against burglars, a door now on the market has a strong bronze grille with a secondary door which can be opened to talk with the person outside without opening the main door, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The grille is on the outer side and there is a screen for additional protection between it and the inner door, which swings back.



The DiGiorgio Orchestra

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Supreme Court Scores Klan; Hoover's Plan for Big Construction Reserve.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

UPHOLDING a New York state law aimed especially at the Ku Klux Klan, the Supreme court of the United States last week declared in effect that the organization aimed at is undesirable and a foe of public welfare. The opinion was written by Justice Van Deventer, and Justice McKeen dissented on the ground that the Supreme court lacked jurisdiction in the case. It is believed the court's decision will end the Klan's existence in New York.

This anti-klan bill was enacted by the New York state legislature in 1923. It provides that an organization which requires an oath as a prerequisite or condition of membership, "other than a labor union or a benevolent order, mentioned in the beneficiary orders state a sworn copy of its constitution, by-laws, rules, regulations, and oath of membership, together with a roster of its membership and a list of its members for the current year. Any person who becomes a member of such an organization or attends a meeting thereof, with knowledge that it has failed to comply with the law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, the statute says.

In the case which was carried to the Supreme court it was contended that the law discriminated between different associations, relieving such secret organizations as the Masons, the Odd Fellows, and others from compliance while being directed especially against the Ku Klux Klan.

Justice Van Deventer, in the court's decision, held that the discrimination between associations was justified by a difference between the two classes of associations shown by experience. The difference consisted, he said, "in a manifest tendency on the part of one class to make the secrecy surrounding its purposes and membership a cloak for acts and conduct inimical to personal rights and public welfare, and in the absence of such a tendency on the part of the other class."

HERBERT HOOVER'S itinerary on his Latin-American tour has been speeded up, as arranged by Ambassador Fletcher, who accompanies the party as representative of the State department. The President-Elect now expects to be back in the United States the first week in January. Brief stops at Ampala, Honduras and La Union, Salvador, were made on Sunday with a call at Corinto, Nicaragua, on the 11th for next day; but the visits to Panama, Colombia and Bolivia were abandoned because of the devious route necessary to get there.

Wireless dispatches from the Maryland said Mr. Hoover was enjoying the trip immensely. When the battleship arrived off Cape San Lucas at the entrance to the Gulf of California she came to anchor for several hours and the President-Elect went fishing in the hope of landing a swordfish, tarpon or barracuda. All he caught was a fifteen-pound dolphin and a Spanish mackerel.

It was stated at the Navy department in Washington that Mr. Hoover's tour will cost the government little more than the regular maintenance and operating expenses of about \$400,000 for the battleships Maryland and Utah. Mr. Hoover is President Coolidge's guest on the trip, and the other members of the party are paying about \$150 a day for food and laundry, as do other persons using government transport.

GREAT BRITAIN expressed disapproval of American methods of investigating the Vestris tragedy, but the inquiry at New York seemed to bring out much of the truth concerning the circumstances surrounding the sinking of the vessel. Most significant, perhaps, was the testimony of Chief Officer Frank Johnson. This, summarized, was that on the day the ship foundered the officers wouldn't go to their stations and that not a lifeboat set out properly manned or properly filled; that there was no general call to lifeboats; that the iron chains on a number of lifeboats broke, and the patent releasing gear failed to work; that at 4 a. m. the day the Vestris sank, Captain Carey was unable to give "any helpful suggestions." Johnson said if he had been in the captain's place he would have waited just as long to send out an SOS, and that the storm was never severe enough to endanger a sound vessel.

After seven days of investigation, the federal officers said they had not yet found out how a thousand tons or more of water had got into the ship. The complete saturation of the coal bunkers, they thought, explained the sinking of the vessel.

HOOVER foresees the time when there will be an ebb in the tide of prosperity, and he has devised a program to meet that situation which was presented to the conference of state governors in New Orleans. In brief, he suggests the creation of a three-billion-dollar state and federal construction reserve that shall be for labor and industry what the federal reserve has done for finance. The plan, as outlined by Governor Brewster of Maine at the request of Mr. Hoover, provides for the co-operation of Federal and state governments in controlling construction work for the public good, so that a reserve may be presently accumulated in time of plenty against the lean year that is to come.

Governor Brewster told the governors that no infringement of legislative prerogative was contemplated, because no project could be carried out except as the legislatures might direct, although the rapidity of the construction program, within defined limits, could be accelerated or retarded.

largely to synchronize with national and local needs.

The Hoover proposal was placed before the American Federation of Labor, also in session in New Orleans, by John Fry, secretary of the metal trades department, who declared that it was "a complete endorsement of our battle for wages, adopted in Atlantic City in 1922." President William Green also said the plan is an unequalled endorsement of labor's program.

ROBERT W. STEWART, chairman of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, was acquitted of perjury before the senate Teapot Dome investigating committee by the District of Columbia jury that heard the case. The verdict was virtually directed by Justice Bailey, who told the jurors Stewart could not be held guilty of perjury if it was found that a quorum of the senate committee was not present when the oil men appeared to testify. The government did not contend in the trial that more than five senators were present at any one time during Stewart's entire testimony and it was admitted that a quorum was established by counting senators, who, never physically present, allowed their names, in accordance with the senate custom, to be used for the purpose.

LUTHERANS, the great German airplane concern, has made arrangements with the Russian soviet government under which Germany and Russia will join in developing the northern Asiatic air routes, over which the new combination will have a practical monopoly. The soviet government will pay half the operating costs but will leave to Germany the handling of negotiations in quarters where the Russians are not liked. All the services will carry passengers, mail and light freight.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE told congress last year that the Boulder dam project, on the basis of a cost of \$125,000,000, would not be in conflict with his financial program. But the senate commission of engineers and geologists has reported to the President that the cost estimates are too low by perhaps \$40,000,000, and there is speculation whether this will cause a change in the position of the administration. The commission holds that construction of a dam 550 feet high is feasible from an engineering standpoint, but proposes modifications in the plans with a view to obtaining greater safety. The report does not deal at all with many questions of policy that figure in the controversy over the pending legislation.

GOVERNMENT agents, assisted by police and Scotland Yard, have uncovered a big jewelry smuggling conspiracy involving millions of dollars. The first results of their work were the arrests of Morris Landau, New York jeweler, and his daughter, William Ballin of England, chief steward on the Cunard liner Boregnaria, and Patrolman J. T. McIntyre of the New York traffic squad, whose post for many years has been the Cunard pier. The authorities allege that Ballin received packages of jewelry from a confederate in Southampton, England, and handed them to McIntyre on the steamer when it reached New York, he in turn passing them on to Landau. The jeweler's daughter is said to have acted as a messenger.

HEAVY rains caused serious and widespread floods in Kansas, Missouri, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Illinois, the overflowing rivers doing vast damage to property. Many towns were inundated, and the losses of farmers were severe. In the five states about a score of persons were drowned.

GREAT BRITAIN, France and Germany agreed on a conference of experts, to be held probably in December in Paris, to plan revision of the Dawes reparations plan and evacuation of the Rhineland. But Foreign Minister Stresemann, appearing before

the Reichstag after his long illness, made a speech that the French press said would scare away the dove of peace, for he had harsh words concerning the continued occupation of Germany and by the allies, and he does not consent to the connection of reparations with war debts. Stresemann also attacked Raymond Gilbert Packer, asserting that he had misrepresented conditions in central Europe.

DISPATCHES from Vienna said Ivan Michailoff, Macedonian revolutionary leader, was threatening to march on Sofia, capital of Bulgaria, on short notice, and that the population of that city was panic stricken. The public buildings were occupied by troops and the streets were deserted in the evening. The Bulgarian cabinet was summoned, but its problem was serious for it was believed a majority of the troops and officials were siding with Michailoff.

AMONG those whom death claimed during the week was George H. Jones, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey. He had been with the corporation for thirty-five years and was known as "the man who never played."

Dr. George T. Harding, father of the late President Harding, died in California of a paralytic stroke at the age of eighty-four years. Another notable person who passed away was Representative William A. Oldfield of Arkansas, Democratic whip in the house. He was completing his twentieth year of service in congress and was considered one of the most important and active members of the Democratic delegation in the house.

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